

Investigative and Enforcement Services**Settlement Agreement**

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RESPONDENT:

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CASE NUMBER KS10029-AC**DUE ON OR BEFORE** March 10, 2011**CONTACT** Matthew J. Bromeland
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DATE	CITATION	DESCRIPTION
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PENALTY \$ 3,357**TERMS**

Titles 7, 15, 19, and 21 of the United States Code authorize the Secretary of Agriculture, after providing notice and opportunity for a hearing, to impose civil penalties and other sanctions to resolve violations.

Prior to the issuance of a formal complaint seeking sanctions under the Act, The Department may enter into a stipulation to resolve the above-described violations. Your payment constitutes a waiver of your right to a hearing, a finding that the violations of law have occurred, and settlement of such violations.

If you do not pay the specified penalty within the designated time or wish to exercise your right to a hearing, this matter will be forwarded to the Office of the General Counsel for litigation. The penalty offered in this stipulation is not relevant to the sanctions the Department may seek, or that will be assessed, upon issuance of a formal complaint.

Signature of Respondent:**Date:****PAYMENT RECORD - FOR IES USE ONLY**

Payment Type	Date	Amount	Signature of IES Representative

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10-JAN-2008	9 CFR § 2.126(a)	<p>Access and inspection of records and property. Each exhibitor shall, during business hours, allow APHIS officials to enter its place of business.</p> <p>Respondent failed to have a representative available to allow APHIS officials to access the facility during regular business hours.</p>
10-JUN-2010	9 CFR § 3.125(a)	<p>Facilities, general. <i>Structural strength.</i> The indoor and outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals.</p> <p>Respondent failed to have structurally sound housing facilities maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury. The wire fencing attached to the bottom of the pipe support of the goat enclosure was detached with broken sharp ends protruding into the enclosure. The tin sheeting on the front edge of the buffalo shelter was ripped with protruding sharp edges. The wood panel on the front of the entrance to the Russian pig shelter was significantly worn and damaged with several exposed nail heads.</p>